

## Toledo Region

- Heroin & Suboxone® availability ↑
- Heroin more available than crack cocaine
- More heroin users in treatment than prescription opioid addicts
- White powdered heroin cut with fentanyl; causing increased overdoses
- Participants want a needle exchange in the region
- Bath salts and prescription opioids availability ↓
- Prescription opioids availability ↓ ... fewer prescriptions written
- Suboxone® availability ↑ because clinic prescriptions ↑

## Cleveland Region

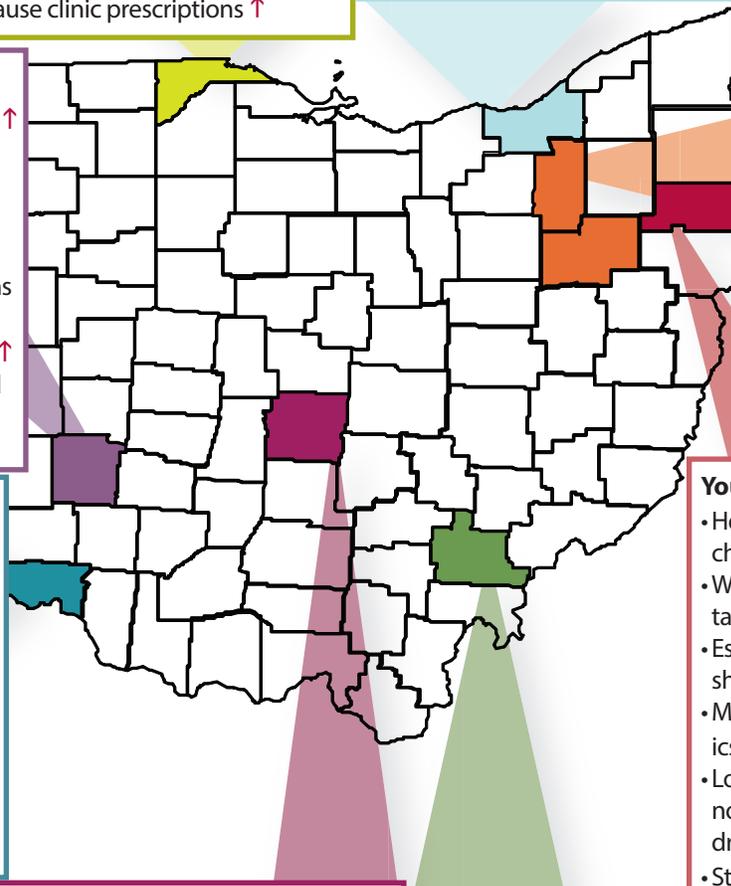
- Heroin, marijuana & Suboxone® availability ↑
- Heroin is the most available drug in the region
- Gray-colored heroin more available now throughout Cuyahoga Cty.
- Fentanyl in heroin trending; causing frequent heroin overdoses
- Suboxone® ↑ attributed to pain management clinics prescribing drug
- Marijuana concentrates availability ↑ in past six months
- Ecstasy (molly) & sedative-hypnotics availability ↑
- "Molly" (MDMA) cut with bath salts, cocaine & methamphetamine

## Dayton Region

- Heroin & Suboxone® availability ↑
- Powdered cocaine ↓
- Crack cocaine ↓
- Heroin favored over cocaine due to the low cost of heroin
- Prescription pain pill regulations makes them difficult to obtain
- Fentanyl boosts heroin overdoses ↑
- Mitragynine (aka "kratom") and hashish emerging drug trends

## Akron-Canton Region

- Heroin & methamphetamine ↑
- Heroin use considered "trendy"
- Prescription opioids & fentanyl used to cut heroin ↑
- Methamphetamine use high
- Crack cocaine, ecstasy, marijuana & Suboxone® availability ↑
- Marijuana used more openly
- First time "hash oil" (aka "THC wax" or "dabs") reported
- Bath salts, prescription opioids & synthetic marijuana ↓



## Cincinnati Region

- Heroin and Suboxone® availability ↑
- Heroin & marijuana prevalent
- Heroin likely from Mexico
- Heroin cut with Fentanyl involved in over half drug-related deaths in Hamilton Cty.
- Opiate treatment clinics (aka "Suboxone® clinics") prevalent
- "Kratom" subs for heroin high
- Synthetic marijuana ↓

## Youngstown Region

- Heroin availability ↑, considerably cheaper than prescription opioids
- White powdered heroin cut with fentanyl; causing increased overdoses
- Estimated 6 out of 10 heroin users share injection needles
- Methamphetamine, sedative-hypnotics & Suboxone® availability ↑
- Local coroner's report sedative-hypnotics present in over 50% of all drug-related deaths in past six months
- Street use of Suboxone® ↑ attributed to an increase in drug prescriptions
- Synthetic marijuana availability ↓

## Columbus Region

- Bath salts availability ↓
- Powdered cocaine popularity ↓ due to lure of opiates & heroin ↑
- Methamphetamine & Suboxone® availability ↑
- Prescriptions ↑ contribute to increased street availability of Suboxone®
- Methamphetamine & black tar heroin cross U.S.-Mexican border
- Methamphetamine users likely white, 20-40 years old & lower income
- "Kratom" (a psychoactive plant substance that produces a heroin-like high) reported in Delaware County during the past six months

## Athens Region

- Methamphetamine & Suboxone® availability ↑
- After heroin, methamphetamine most available drug in region
- Crystal forms of methamphetamine (aka "ice") now in the region
- Sedative-hypnotics availability ↑, commonly prescribed with Suboxone®
- Bath salts, ecstasy & synthetic marijuana drastically ↓